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SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECT: PORT DEVELOPMENT

REF: STATE 104437

IN ABSENCE PORT DIRECTOR SPOKE TO DEPUTY LE BRISHOUAL
ABOUT PORT PROJECTS AT POINT LIMBO AND KRIBI.
(A) DEVELOPMENT STUDY OF POINT LIMBO SHOULD BE COMPLETED
IN APPROXIMATELY ONE YEAR. ESTIMATED COST OF BASIC STUDY
IS US DOLLARS 400.000. PROPOSAL SUBMITTED TO EUROPEAN
DEVELOPMENT FUND TO FINANCE US DOLLARS 18000.000 OF THIS
AMOUNT WITH CAMEROON NATIONAL PORTS OFFICE PAYING THE
BALANCE. TOTAL ESTIMATED COST OF COMPLETED PORT IS
US DOLLARS 400 TO 600 MIION. PLAN IS FOR DEEP WATER PORT
SOME 15 METERS IN DEPTH. ALONGSIDE SHIP HANDLING CAPACITY
AS YET UNDETERMINED. CONSTRUCTION MAY START IN ABOUT FIVE
YEARS AND ONLY AFTER COMPLETION OF DOUALA PORT EXTENSION.
WORK AT DOUALA IS EXPECTED TO BE FINISHED IN 1979-80.
(B) FEASIBILITY STUDY BEGUN FOR PORT SOUTH OF KRIBI AT
ROCHER DE LOUP. NO CONCRETE PROPOSALS FOMULATED AS YET.
DATE FOR BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION IS VERY UNCERTAIN.
SOURCE SAID START MAY BE AROUND 1985 OR LATER .
COMMENT: TIMING OF PORT DEVELOPMENT WOULD DEPEND IN PARTICULAR
ON OPENING UP OF SOUTH, CENTRAL AND SOUTHEAST
CAMEROON IRON DEPOSITS AND TIMBER RESERVES WHICH DOUALA
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